

Amendments to the Claims

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Currently Amended) A method for providing a history of viewed broadcasting programs, the method comprising ~~the steps of:~~
~~(a) extracting program data from a viewing broadcasting signal;~~
~~(b) creating an EPG picture using the extracted program data and storing the created EPG picture as the history of the viewed broadcasting programs; and~~
~~(c) repeatedly performing the steps (a) and (b) for a set time.~~
enabling a user to set a predetermined time period for storing the history of the viewed
broadcasting programs;
selecting a broadcasting signal;
extracting program data related to the history of the viewed broadcasting
programs from the selected broadcasting signal;
creating an electronic program guide (EPG) picture using the extracted program
data;
storing the program data at the predetermined time period set by the user; and
displaying the program data related to the history of the viewed broadcasting
programs in a list form,
wherein titles and viewing times of each of the broadcasting programs viewed
during the predetermined time are stored in a memory.
2. (Canceled)

3. (Canceled)

4. (Canceled)

5. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for providing a history of viewed broadcasting programs, the apparatus ~~comprising~~ comprises:

a tuner for selecting a ~~viewing image~~ broadcasting signal;

means for extracting ~~[[a]]~~ program data related to the history of the viewed broadcasting programs from the ~~viewing image~~ selected broadcasting signal;

means for creating an electronic program guide (EPG) picture using the extracted program data;

means for storing the ~~created EPG picture as~~ program data ~~the history of the viewed broadcasting programs~~ for a predetermined time period set by a user; and

means for displaying the ~~viewing image signal~~ program data related to the history of the viewed broadcasting programs in a list form,

wherein titles and viewing times of each of the ~~respective~~ broadcasting programs viewed during for a set time the predetermined time period are stored in a memory ~~the~~ history.

6. (Original) The apparatus of claim 5, further comprising means for inputting user's history search request and history set request.

7. (Canceled)

8. (New) An apparatus for providing a history of viewed broadcasting programs, the apparatus comprising:

- a tuner configured to select a broadcasting signal;
- an extractor configured to extract program data related to the history of the viewed broadcasting programs from the broadcasting signal;
- a generator configured to create an electronic program guide (EPG) picture using the extracted program data;
- a storage configured to store the program data; and
- a display unit configured to display the program data related to the history of the viewed broadcasting programs in a list form when a user inputs a searching request,
- wherein titles and viewing times of each of the broadcasting programs viewed during a predetermined time period set by the user are stored in the storage.